

**ANTICIPATED TIMELINE FOR STATE POLICY FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF
TOXICS STANDARDS FOR INLAND SURFACE WATERS, ENCLOSED BAYS, AND
ESTUARIES OF CALIFORNIA (SIP) REVISIONS**

Task	Duration
Draft for management review	7.5 months
Draft SIP and Functional Equivalent Document for public review	60 days
Public review period	60 days
State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) Workshop	1 day
Respond to comments/revise	100 days
Release response to comments/revised SIP for public review	50 days
SWRCB adoption	1 day
Prepare record for Office of Administrative Law (OAL)	30 days
OAL review	45 days
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) review (may be needed for toxicity provisions)	90 days
Total time	575-665 days

At this time, it is expected that all revisions will move forward as a single package. It may be necessary to separate tasks in order to allow more review for controversial topics. This timeline represents the work necessary to complete revisions to the narrative toxicity requirements and therefore provides a longer estimate than would be necessary to complete non-regulatory language revisions, for example. USEPA review may also be required for the toxicity provisions. When the SIP was first adopted, USEPA did not review this section. Depending on what revisions are made, however, a full 90-day review may be required.